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Examiner Name	Butler, Dennis
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ☐ Other ь. **Х** Enclosed iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) ★ Amendment/Reply ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) 2. Miscellaneous Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required) b.

Other 3. The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, any underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) 11/27/2006 RMEBRAHT 00000094 10644978 Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) 790.00 GP 01 FC:1801 b. Check in the amount of \$790.00 enclosed c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed) WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 42,261 Name (Print/Type) Farzad E. Amini November 20, 2006 Date Signature CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. November 20, 2006

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Complete if Known FEE TRANS Application Number 10/644,978 August 19, 2003 Filing Date Patent fees are subject to annual revision First Named Inventor Robert A. Dunstan **Examiner Name** Butler, Dennis Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Art Unit 2115 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 790.00 (\$) Attorney Docket No. 42P17260 METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check Credit card Money Order None Other (please identify): Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 02-2666 Deposit Account Name: Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) Credit any overpayments under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.18 and 1.20. **FEE CALCULATION** 1. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Extra Claims Fee from below Fee Paid **Total Claims** 0 50.00 \$0.00 44 47" Independent 200.00 \$0.00 3 0 Multiple Dependent Large Entity Small Entity Fee Code Fee (\$) Fee Code Foo (\$) Fee Description 50 25 Claims in excess of 20 1202 2202 1201 200 2201 100 Independent claims in excess of 3 360 180 Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid 1203 2203 *Reissue independent claims over original patent 1204 2204 **or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see below **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent 1205 300 2205 150 SUBTOTAL (1) 0.00 **ADDITIONAL FEES** Large Entity Small Entity Fee (\$) Fee Fee Fee (\$) Fee Description Fee Paid 1051 130 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath 1052 2052 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet. 50 25 2053 130 2053 Non-English specification 1251 2251 € Extension for reply within first month 1252 Extension for reply within second month 1253 1,020 2253 Extension for reply within third month 1254 1,590 2254 Extension for reply within fourth month 1255 2,160 2255 1,080 Extension for reply within fifth month 1401 500 2401 250 Notice of Appeal 1402 2402 250 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 500 1403 1,000 2403 500 Request for oral hearing 1451 2451 Petition to institute a public use proceeding 130 130 Petitions to the Commissioner 1460 2460 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) 1807 50 1807 50 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt 1806 180 1806 180 1809 790 1809 395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a)) For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) 1810 790 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Other fee (specify) SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 790.00 SUBMITTED BY Complete (if applicable) Registration No. Name (Print/Type) (310) 207-3800 42,261 Telephone Farzad E. Amini (Attorney/Agent)

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